

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Francois Binette et al.

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DELIVERY SYSTEM

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Dear Sir:

This communication is in response to the Non Final Office Action dated October 10, 2007. This response is timely. The Director is however authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 141449, under Order No. 22956-225.

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Remarks begin following the listing of the claim